

**TENTATIVE AGENDA--TRANSITION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
TRANSMISSION SUBCOMMITTEE**

Friday, September 13, 2002, 8:00 a.m.

Room 137, State Capitol

**Agenda times are approximate. Some items may take more or less time than is indicated.
After each agenda item, the Subcommittee may discuss issues raised by that item.**

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| 8:00 a.m. | 1. Call to order--roll call--approval of April 25, 2002, Minutes--meeting overview |
| 8:05 | 2. Overview of Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's Notice of Proposed Rules on standard market design and standard transmission service-- Jeff Martin, staff |
| 9:00 | 3. Potential conflict between western states' and FERC's policy goals related to energy markets and regional transmission organizations-- Marilyn Showalter, Chair, Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission |
| 10:15 | 4. FERC order on RTO-West and implications of standard market design on RTO-West-- Ted Williams, NorthWestern Energy |
| 11:15 | 5. Western Area Power Administration's regional transmission study-- Ed Weber, Transmission Planning Manager, WAPA |
| 12:00 | 6. Oil sand energy development in Alberta and alternative transmission line proposals to move energy to Pacific Northwest-- Cam Barton, AltaLink Management |

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| 7. | Synopsis of Subcommittee activities and discussion of issues and options-- call of the chair |
| 8. | Other business--instructions to staff--adjourn |

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